



BUSTER

EVERY MONDAY
15th AUGUST, 1981

14p



MONSTER MIRTH!



Buster's Diary

I was enjoying being lazy on the beach...

IT'S NOT HEALTHY FOR A YOUNG LAD TO JUST SIT AROUND! GO AND HELP THAT LITTLE LAD DIG THAT HOLE!



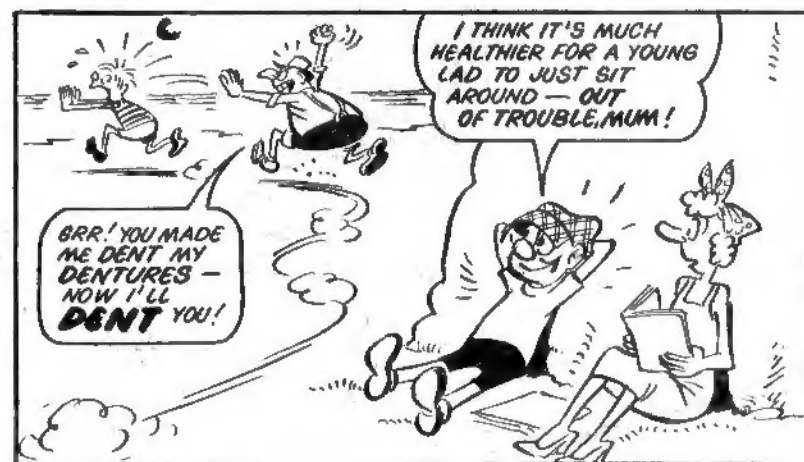
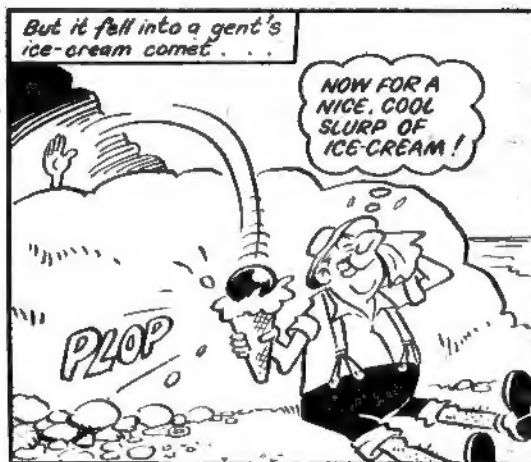
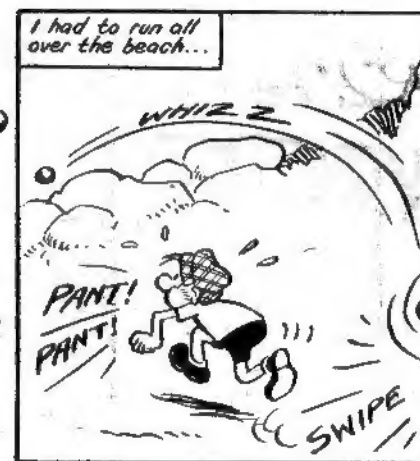
MY MUM SAYS I'VE GOT TO HELP YOU!



OOPS! I DIDN'T SEE THAT SEAWeed!

WHAP

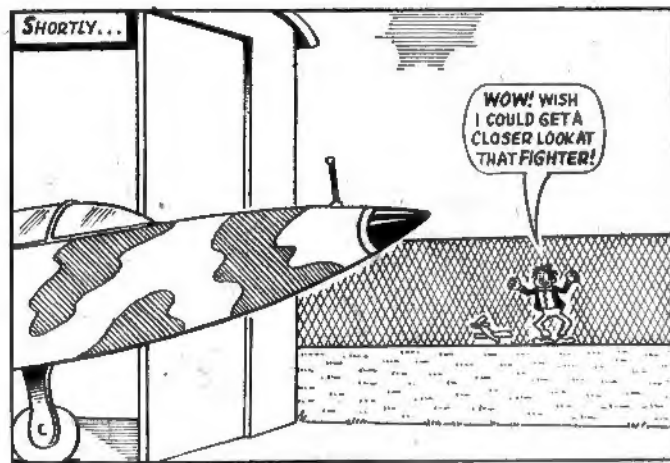
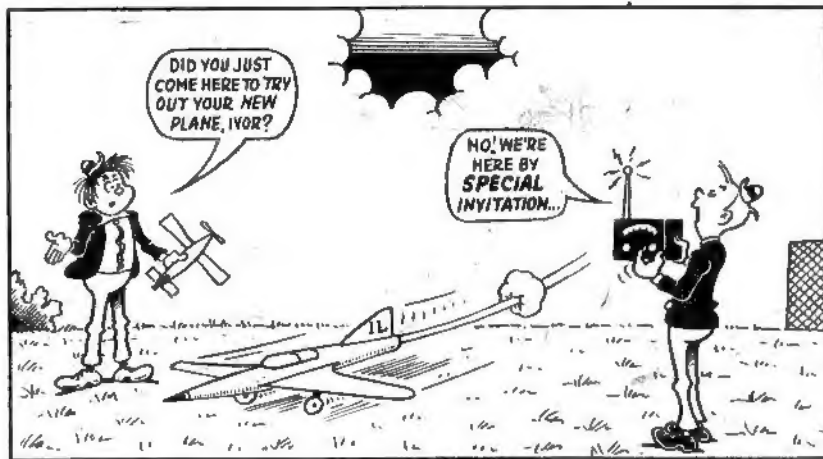
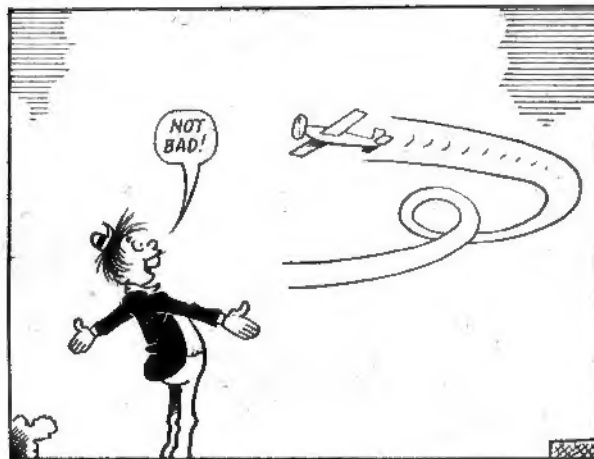


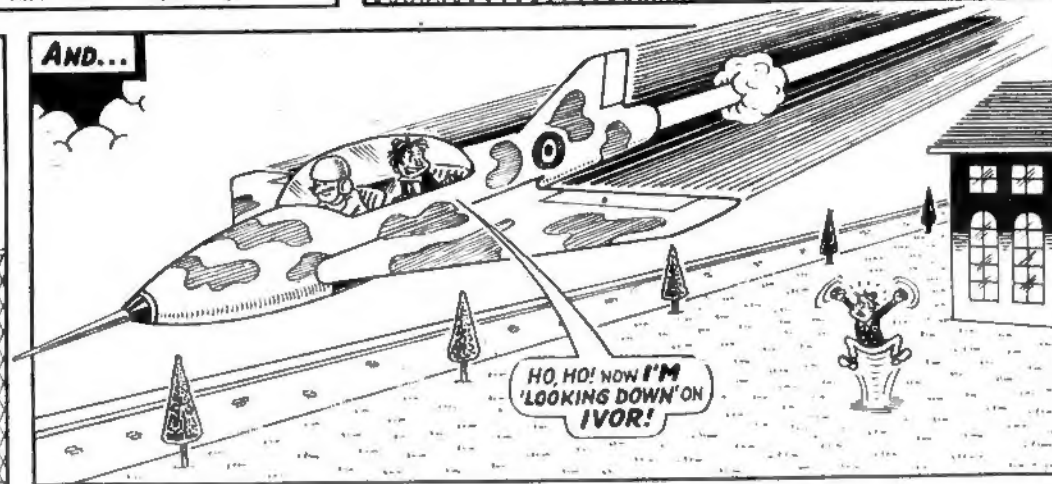
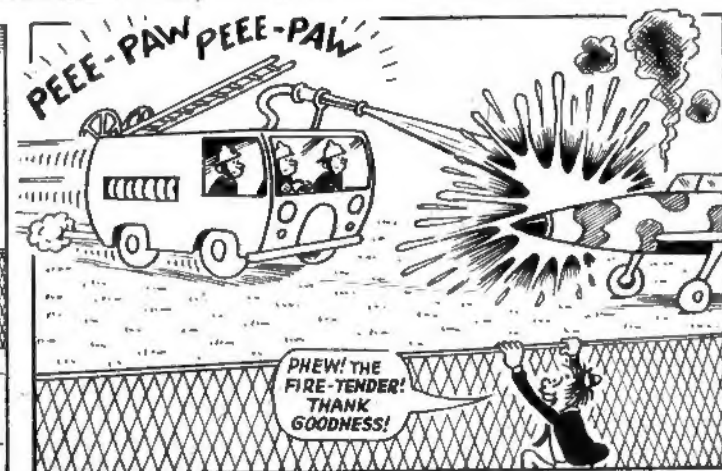
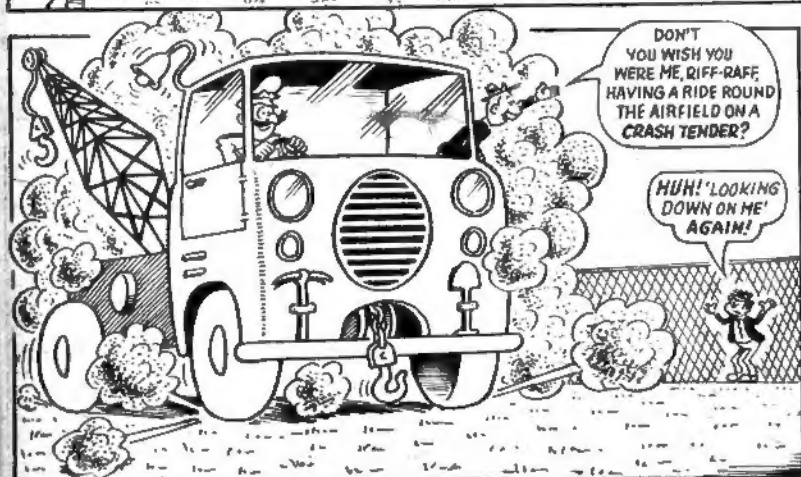
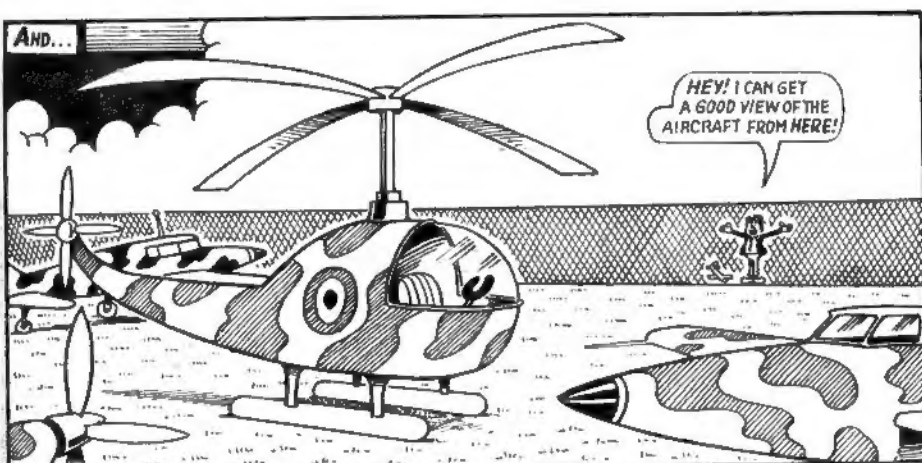


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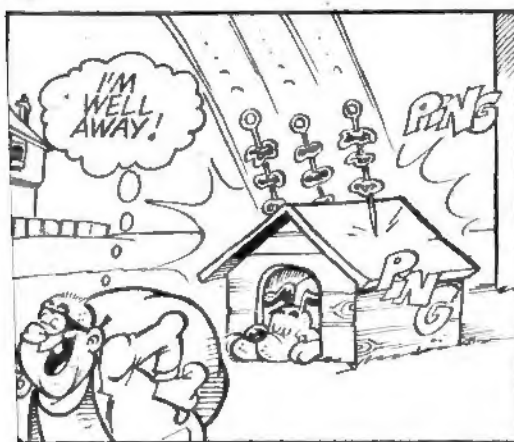
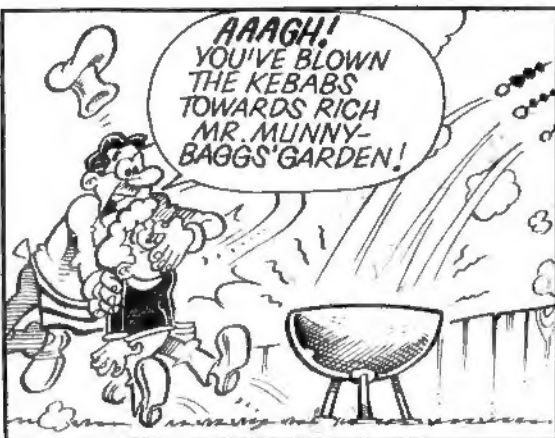


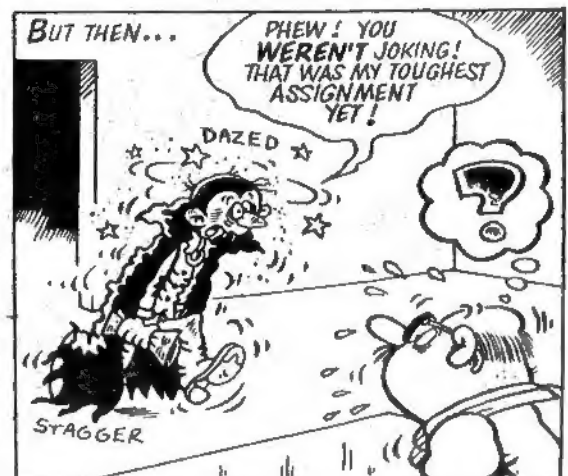
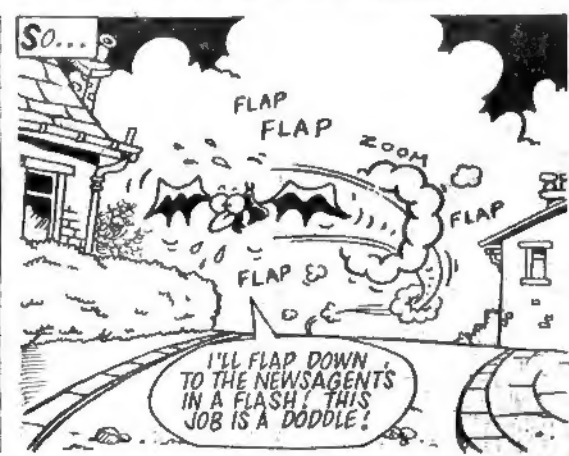
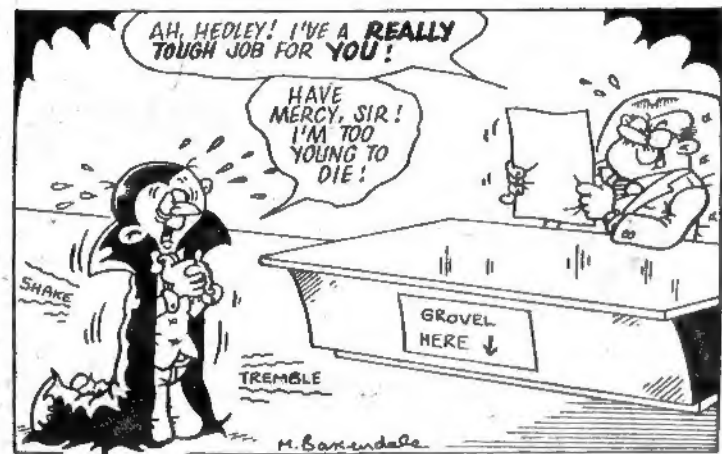
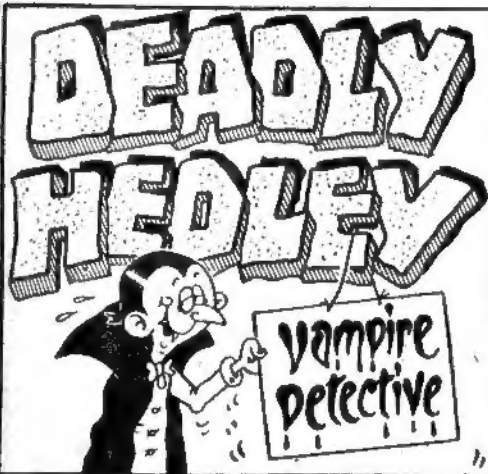
IVOR LOTT and TONY BROKE





BILLY BLOW





The Leopard from LIME ST.

BILLY FARMER, THE BOY WITH THE SPEED AND STRENGTH OF A FULLY-GROWN LEOPARD, WAS TRYING TO RAISE THE MONEY FOR A NEW SCHOOL MINIBUS, SO THAT HE WOULDN'T HAVE TO PLAY IN AN IMPORTANT SCHOOL CRICKET MATCH. AN AMAZING CROOK CALLED THE ROLLER-MONSTER WAS ATTACKING TOWNS IN BILLY'S AREA, AND AT FRAMTON MARKET-PLACE...







BUT AT THAT MOMENT, OUT OF VIEW OF THE COMMOION IN THE MARKET-PLACE ...

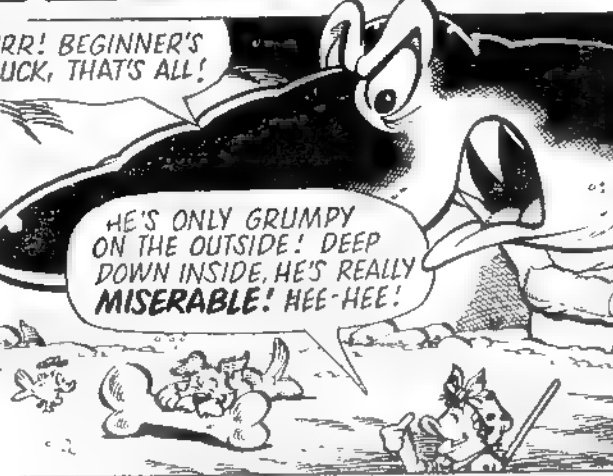
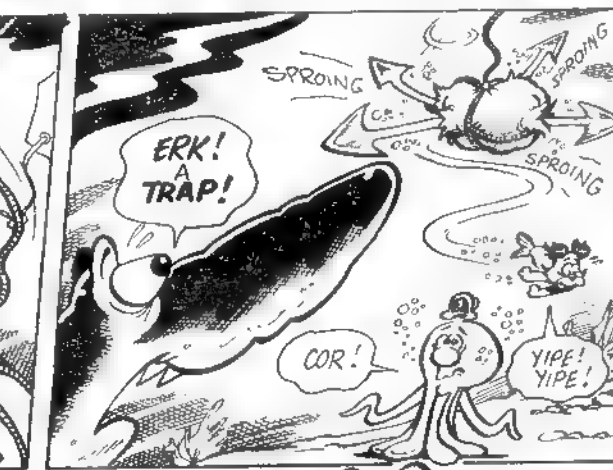
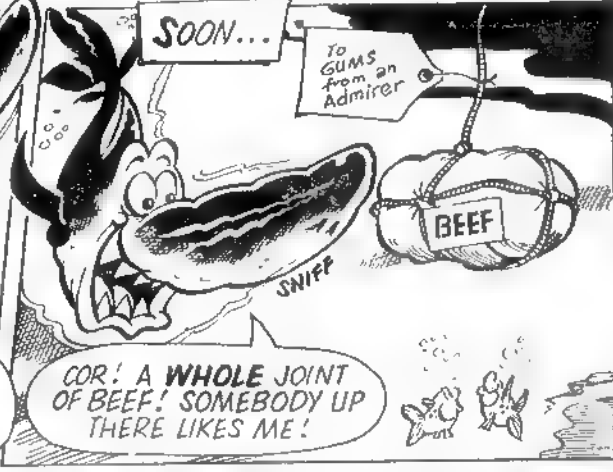
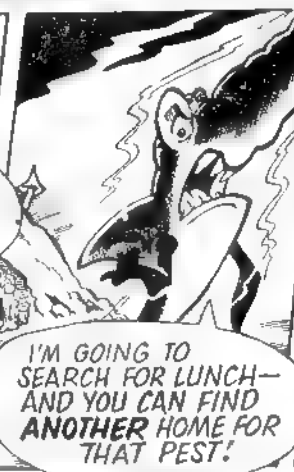
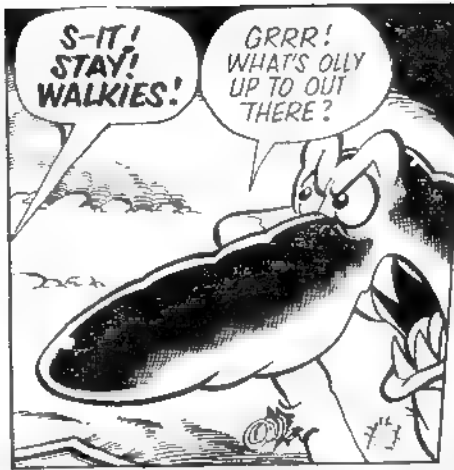


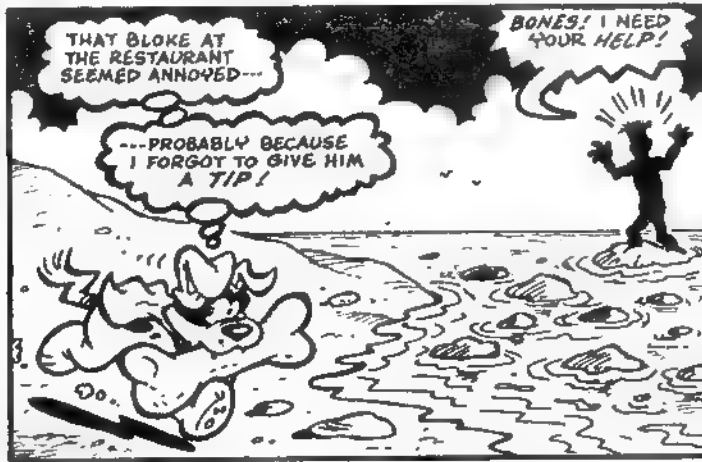
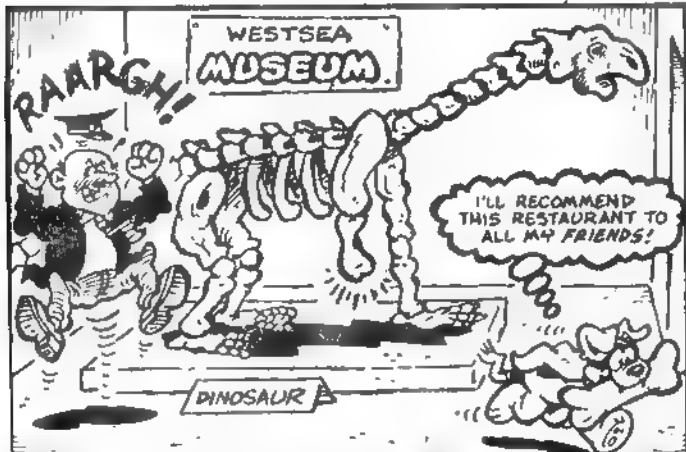
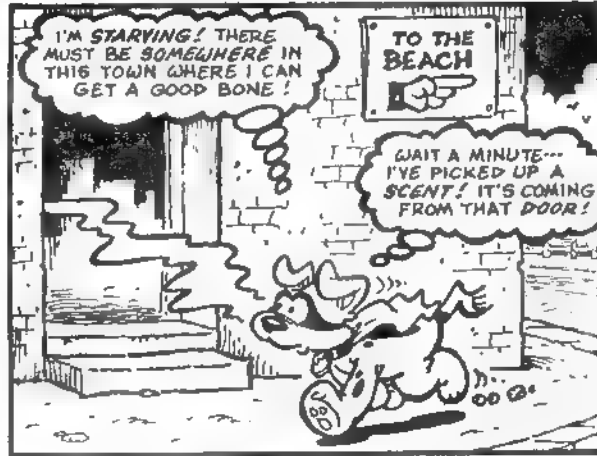
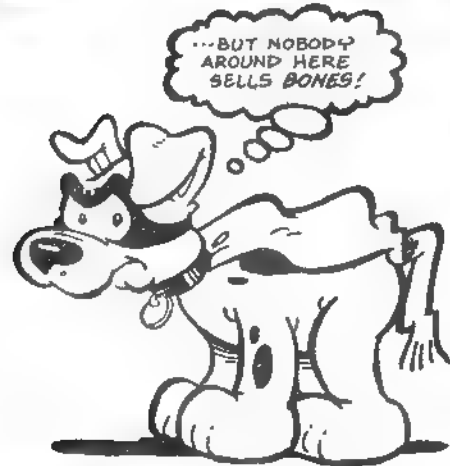
DEBBIE STEVENS, THE GIRL WHO SUSPECTED THAT THERE WAS A LINK BETWEEN BILLY AND THE LEOPARDMAN, HAD BEEN FOLLOWING HIM TO FRAMTON. AFTER HER BIKE HAD COLLIDED WITH A VAN, SHE WAS GIVEN A LIFT BY SOME KINDLY POLICEMEN...

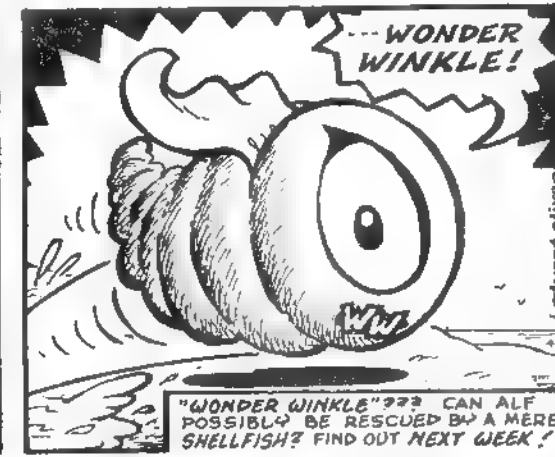
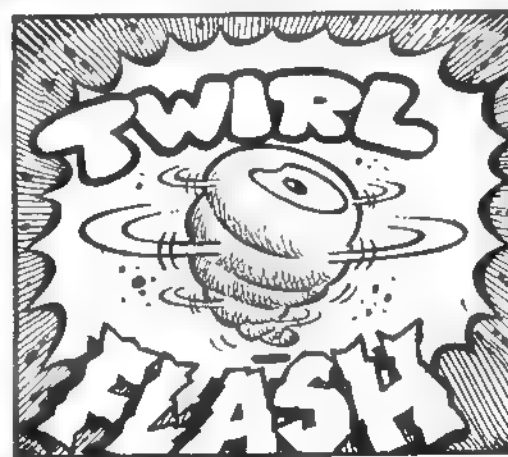
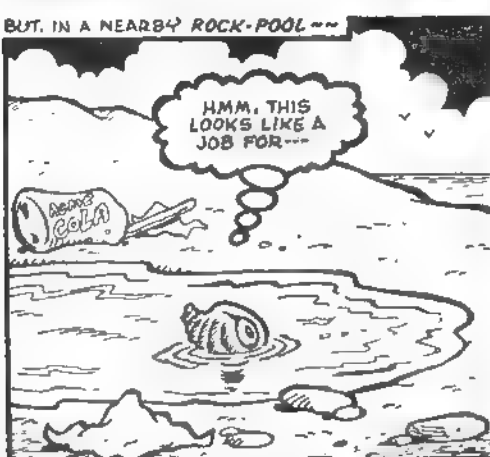


In our next issue, Debbie comes face-to-face with the masked man!

GUMS







Lyons Maid

FREE ICELOLLY

One of four terrific Lyons Maid lollies to choose from absolutely FREE when you use the special 10p coupon in **Jinty** this week!

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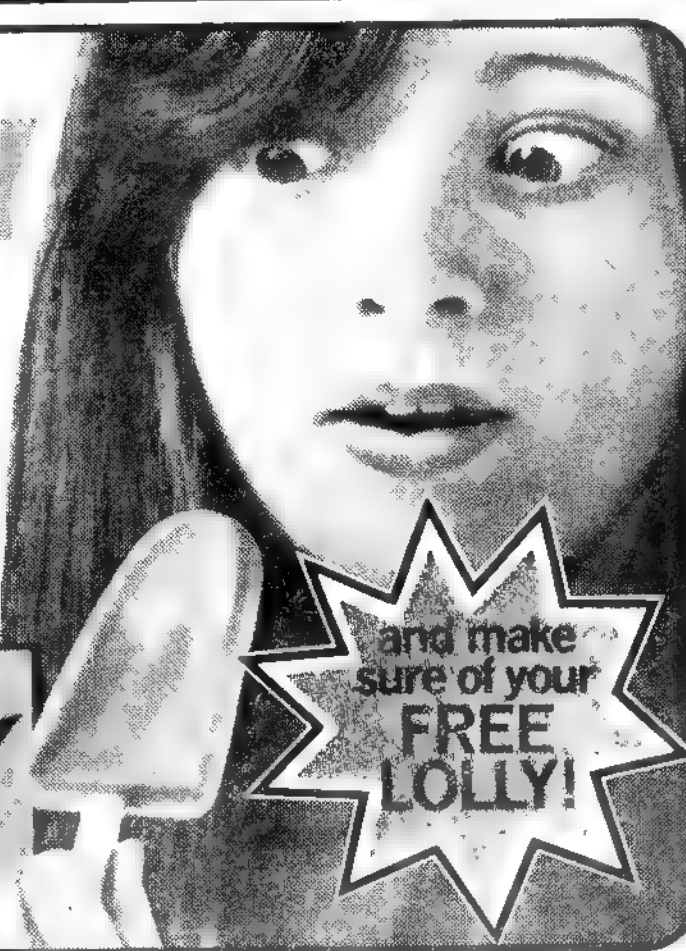
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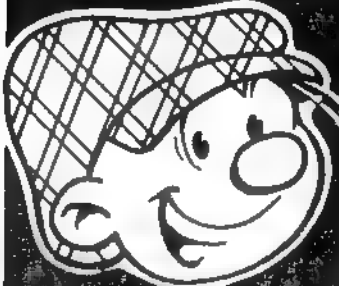
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HAVE YOU EVER BEEN UP BEFORE ME?

I DON'T KNOW, YOUR HONOUR! WHAT TIME DO YOU GET UP?

ANDREW STANBURY, ESHER

I HOPE YOU HAVE A GOOD MEMORY FOR FACES, DAD - I'VE JUST BROKEN YOUR SHAVING MIRROR!

FACEACHE BREAKS MIRRORS - HE LOOKS IN THEM!

PHILIP HARRIS, CARDIGAN

RE EATING CONTEST

ENTRANCE

EXIT

MATTHEW OATHAM, LOUGHTON

WHAT GOES DOT, DOT, DASH, CROAK?

MORSE TOAD!

JASON PRIME, SELLINDGE

WAITER, THIS COFFEE TASTES LIKE MUD!

THAT'S BECAUSE IT WAS GROUND YESTERDAY!

SIMON HALL, SLOUGH

WHAT DO YOU CALL A MEAT THIEF?

A CHOP LIFTER!

STEVEN TRIMMINGS, NEW ROMNEY

ZOO GUIDE

ZEBRAS

LIONS

TIGERS

ELEPHANTS

WOOD WORM

VANESSA BANKS, FALMOUTH

OUR STARFISH IS CALLED GUMS!

HERE COMES THE SHERIFF!

MUTALE KANYANTA COBHAM

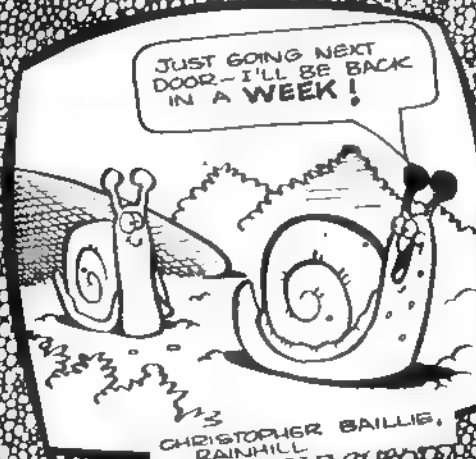
£1 for the sender of each joke published plus a super BUSTER T-SHIRT

Write your joke clearly on a postcard with your full name and address, then fill in the coupon on the right and paste it on to the postcard. Post to: Buster's Joke-Box, Room 2010, King's Reach Tower, Stamford St., London, SE1 9LS. Readers whose jokes are published will each receive £1 plus a BUSTER T-shirt. When similar jokes are received, the first one to be judged will win the prize. This offer is open to readers in the U.K. and the Channel Islands only.



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The feature I like least in BUSTER is



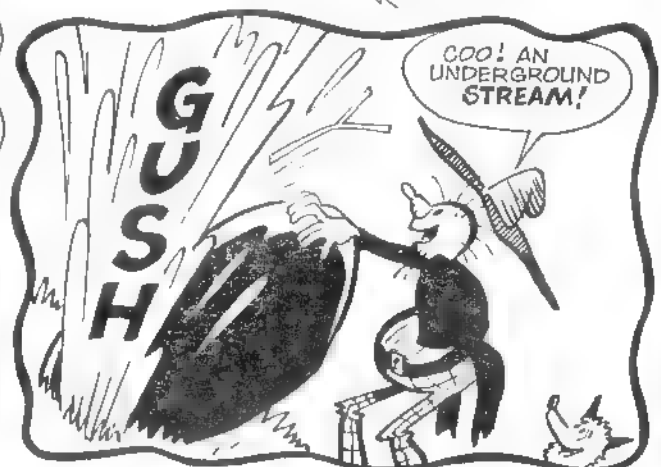
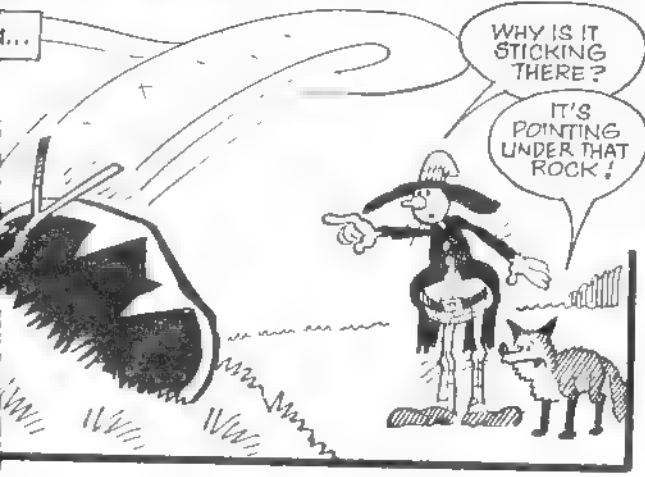
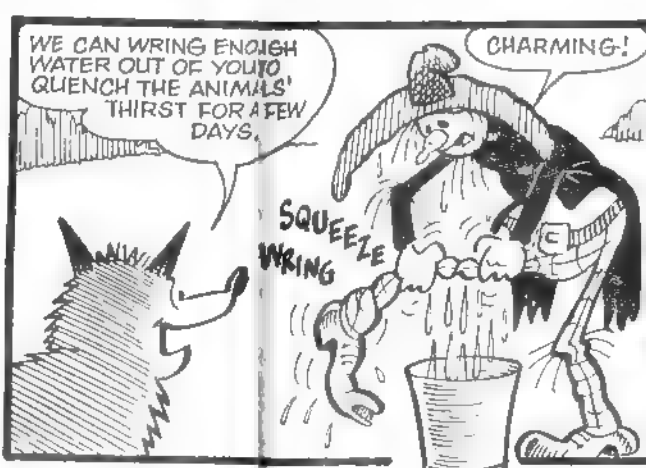
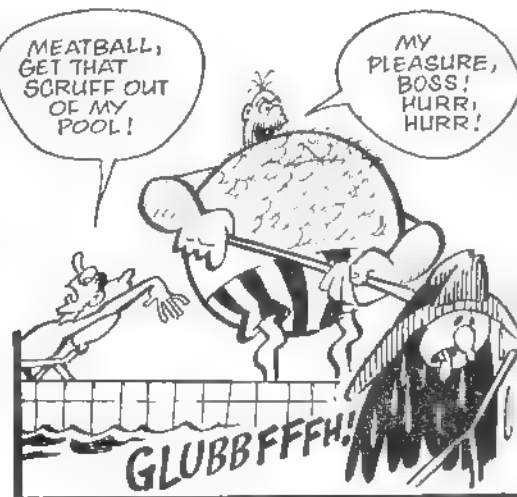
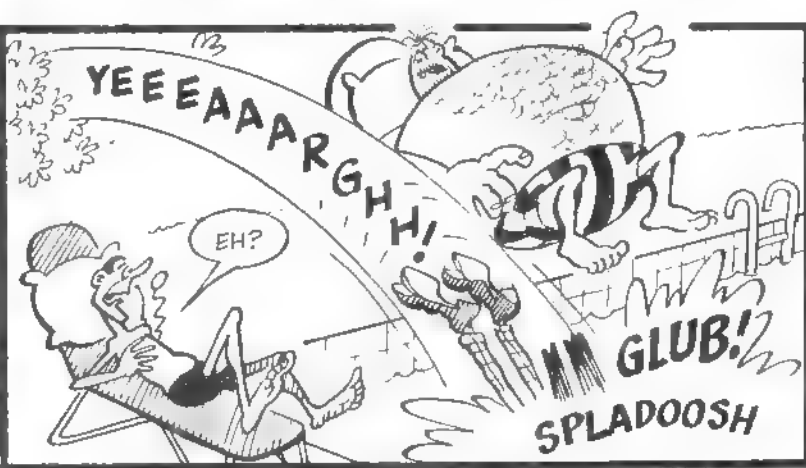
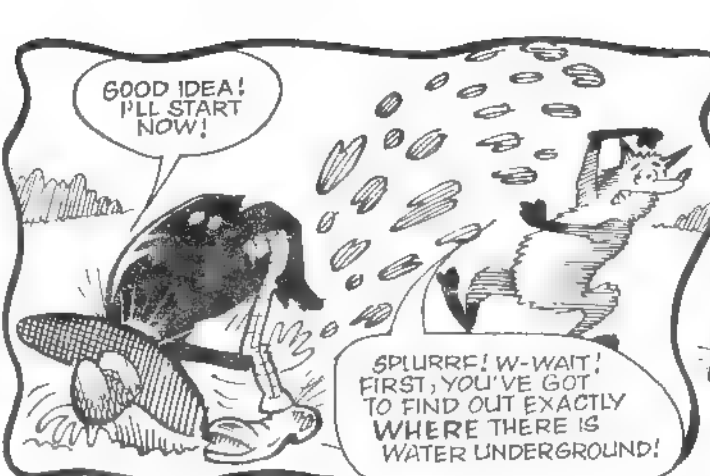
LUCKY DIP PRIZEWINNERS



Spot the Easter bunnies was what we asked you to do in our 4th April issue, and there were, of course, 17 hidden among the stories. Each of the senders of the first 20 correct postcards picked wins a £5 postal order, and the winners are:

Christopher Aucott, Nuneston; Janet Bacon, Formby; David Belston, Camberley; Sharon Bartlett, High Wycombe; Dawn Barton, Bury; Christopher Boakes, Aylesbury; Tracey Brough, Telford; Julie Briscoe, Wolverhampton; Deborah Burke, Stamford; Helen Carter, Kettering; Nicholas Dare, Sherborne; Paul Devlin, Portadown; Tiffany Green, Thornton; S. Harding, Sandy; Shaun Hawkyard, Dunnington; Ruth Holland, Tonbridge; Claire James, Leeds; Tracey Sturgess, Emsworth; Colin Thomas, Bristol; Richard Wade, Great Bridgeford.

STRAWBELLY



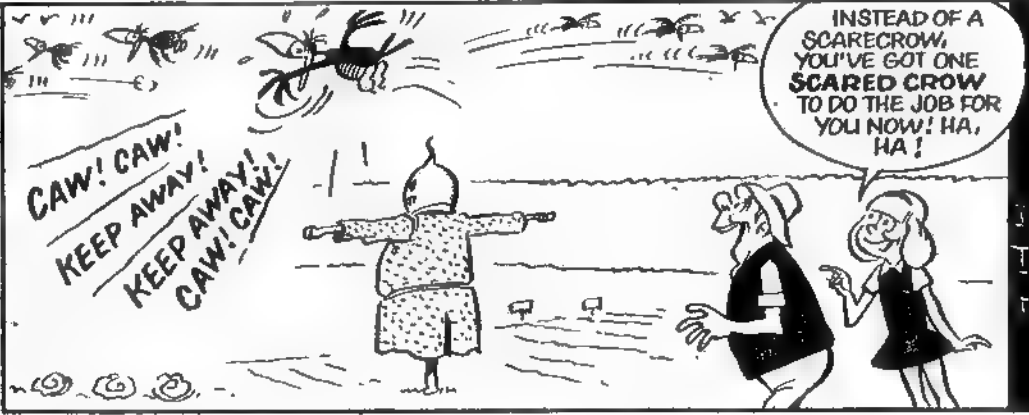
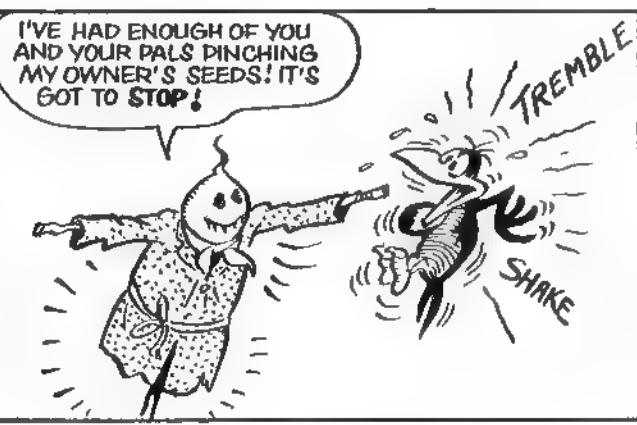
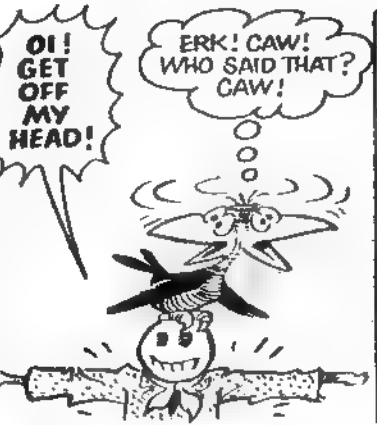
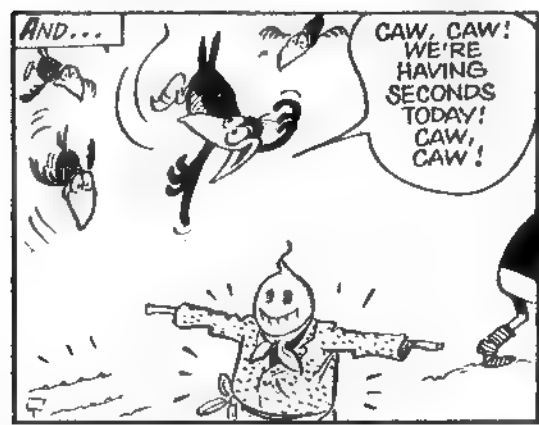
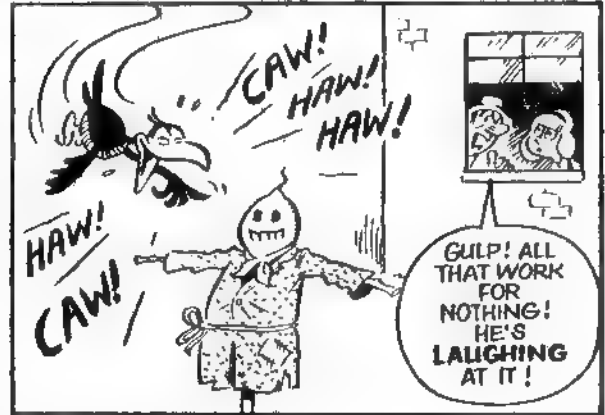


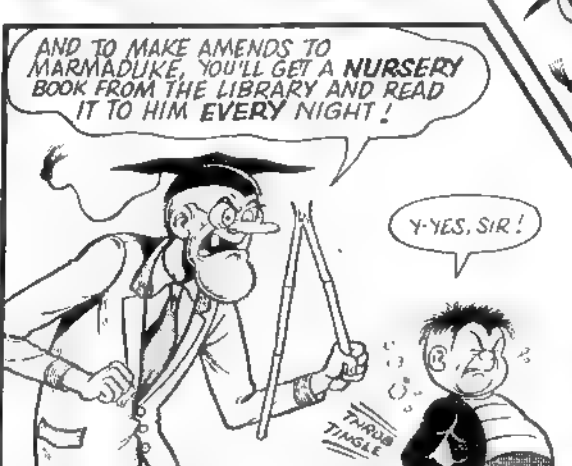
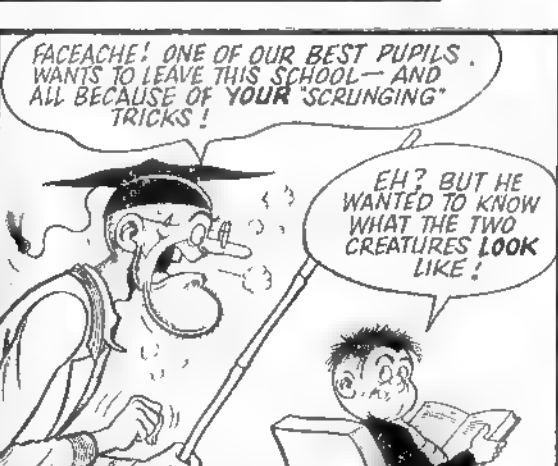
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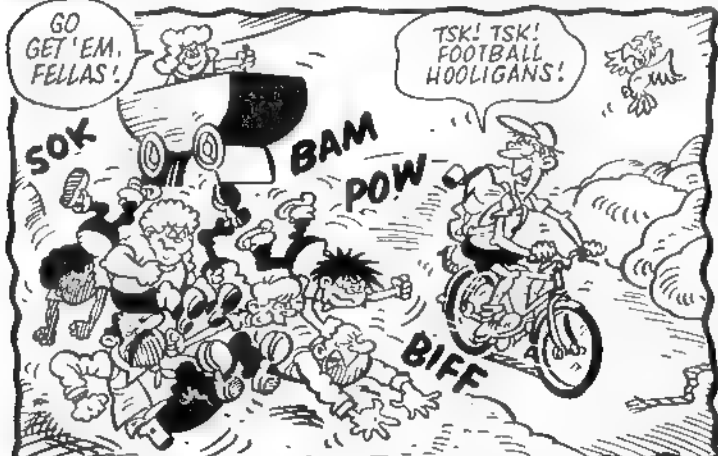
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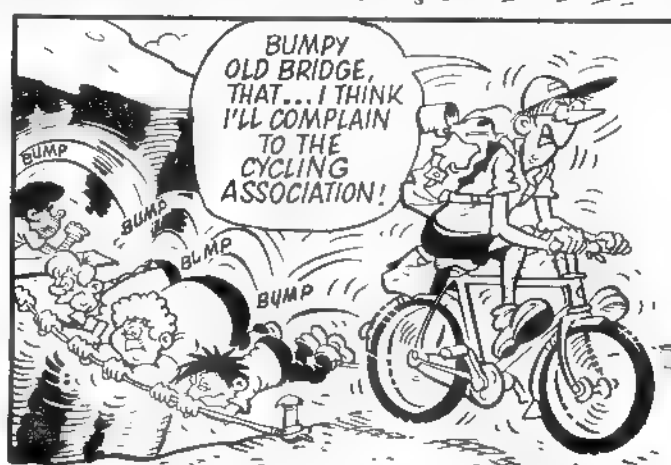
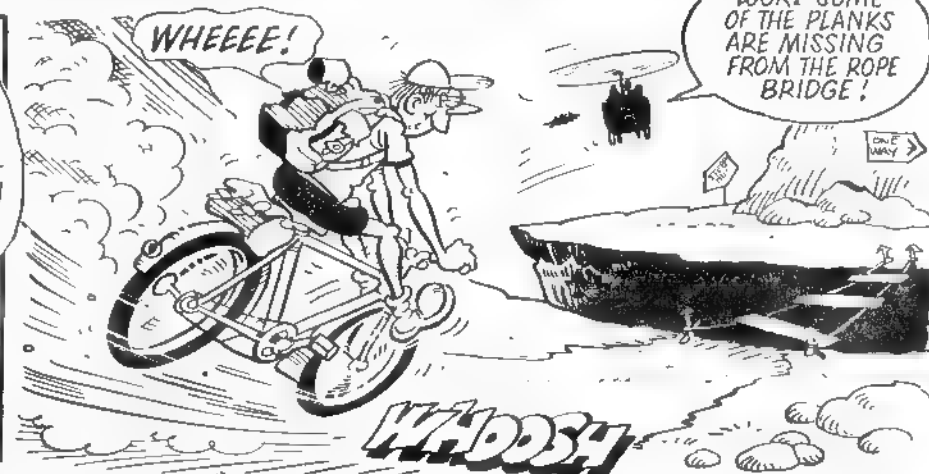
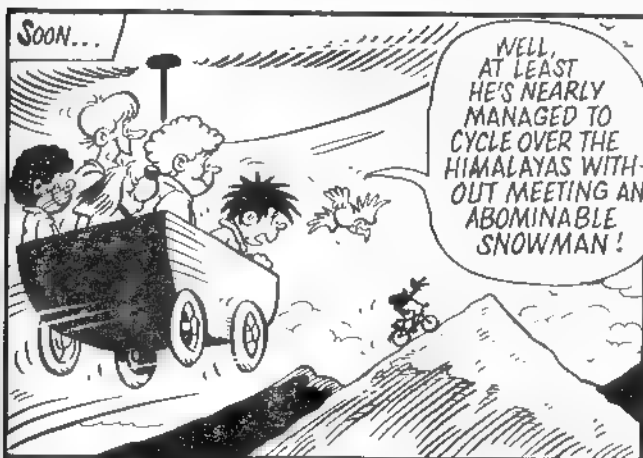
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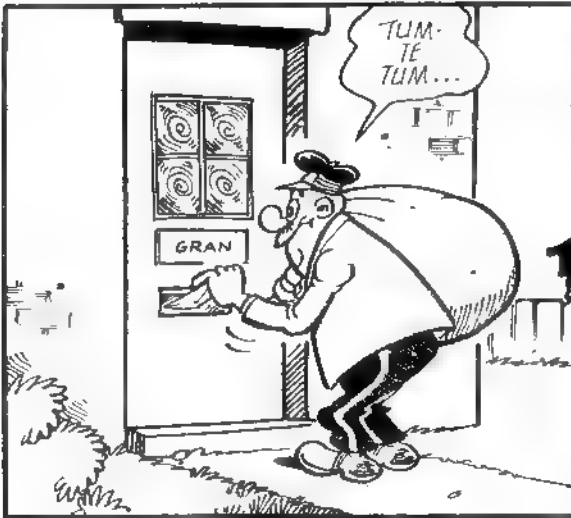


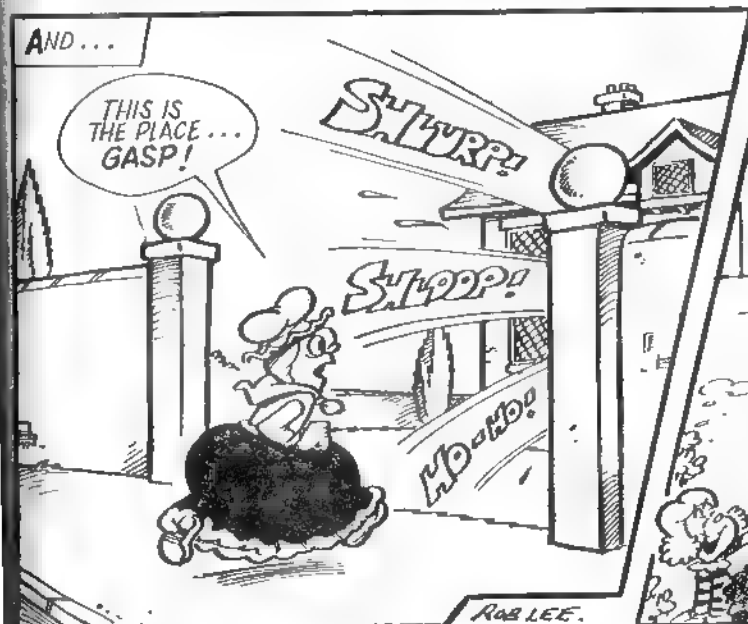
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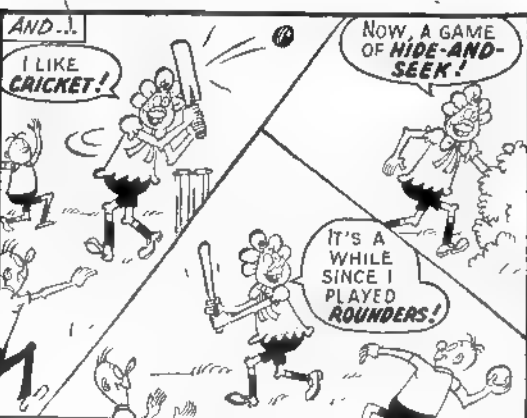
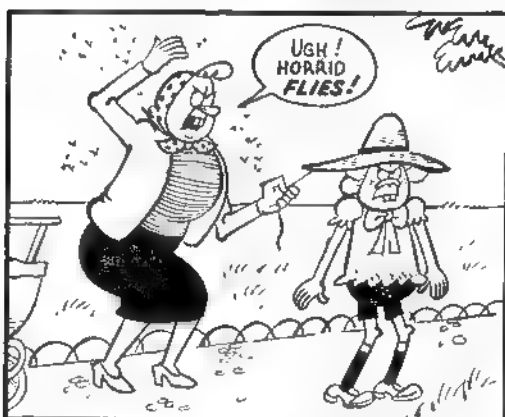
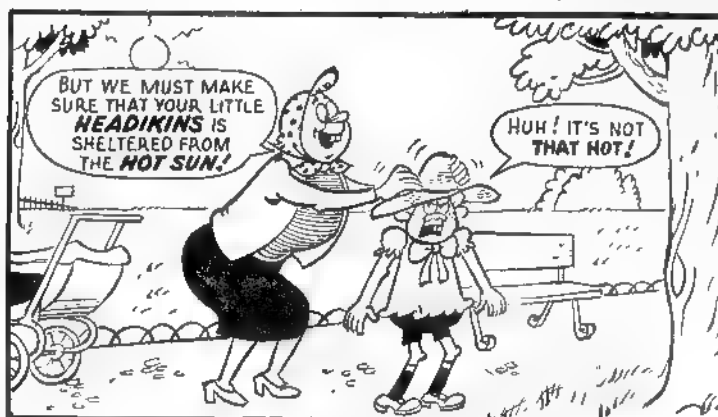
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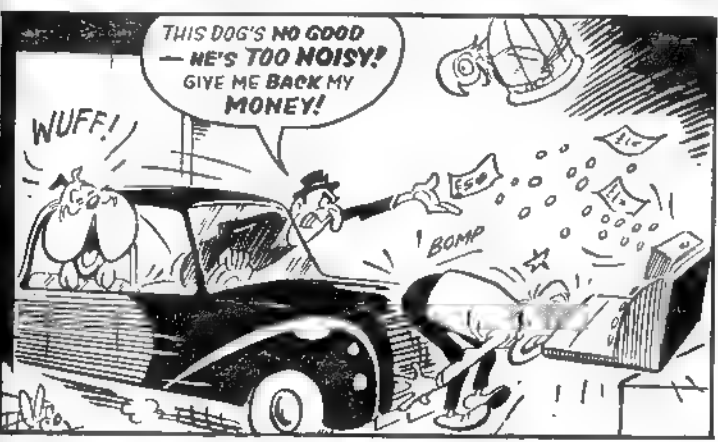




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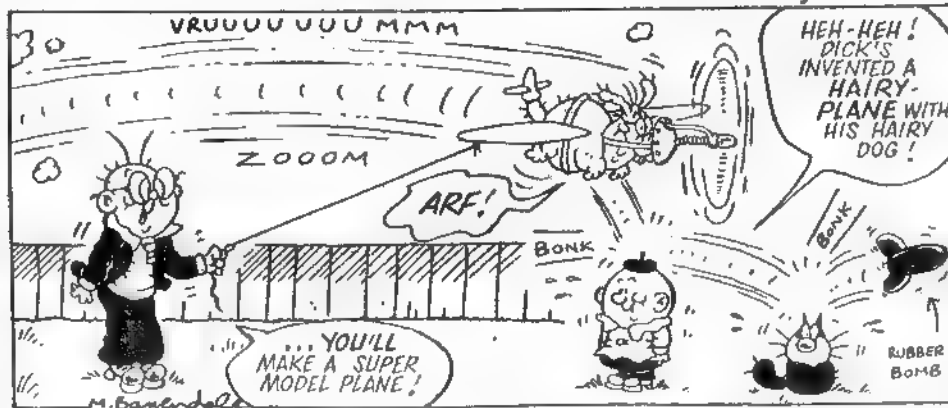
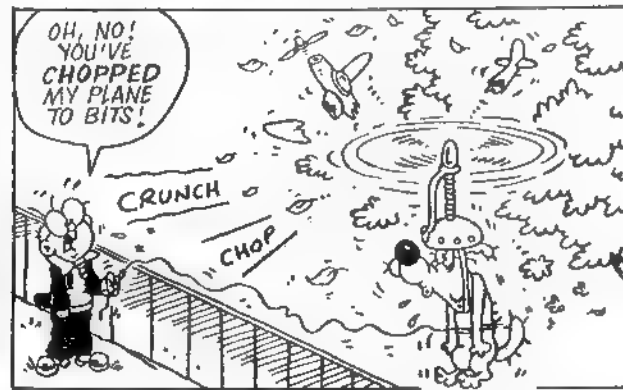
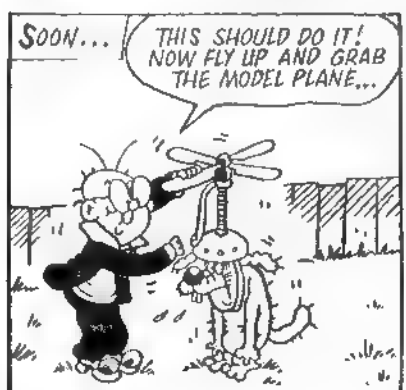
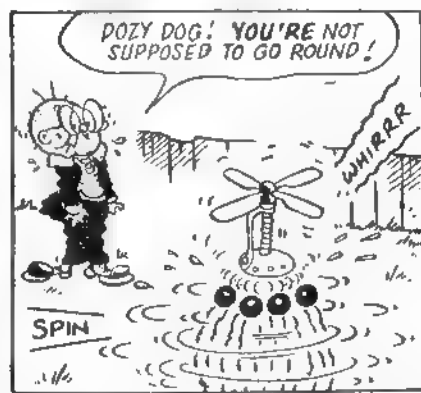
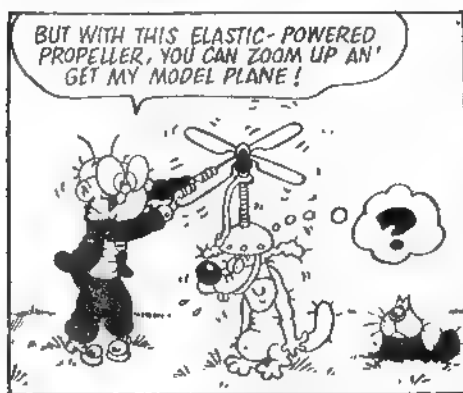
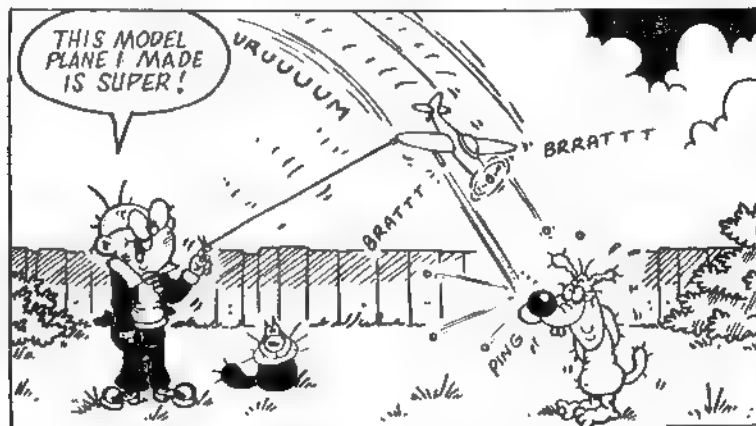
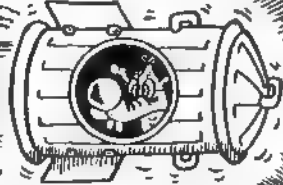


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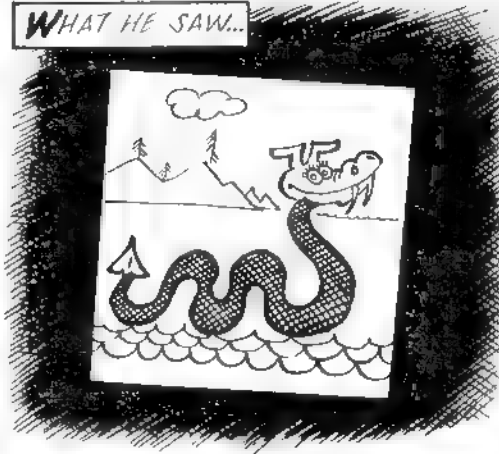
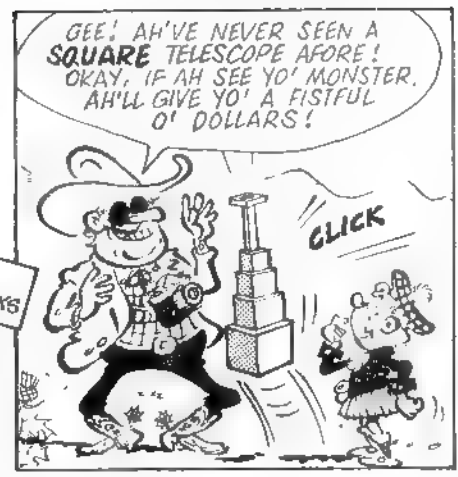
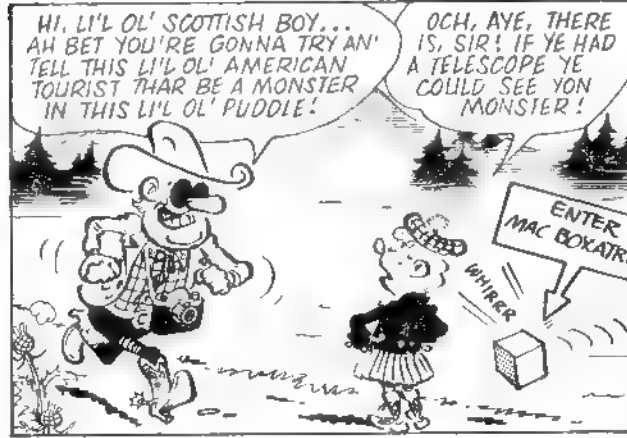
CLEVER DICK

THE DAFT INVENTOR (AND NAPOLEON DOG)





LOCH NESS, SCOTLAND...



BARRY and BOING

ORPHAN BARRY BATES WAS HELPING A SPRING-BUILT ROBOT CALLED BOING TO ESCAPE FROM HIS CRUEL ALIEN MASTERS BUT, IN SCOTLAND, BOING STOPPED A TRAIN ON WHICH THE ALIENS WERE TRAVELLING, AND THEY CAUGHT HIM BY USING A GIANT MAGNET.



YOU'RE CAUGHT AGAIN, AND THAT'S THAT! SO SHUT UP!



SOBBING SADLY, BOING WAS CARRIED BACK TO THE TRAIN...



BARRY, MEANWHILE, HAD SEEN EVERYTHING... AND WAS RACING IN DISMAY TOWARDS THE TRAIN...

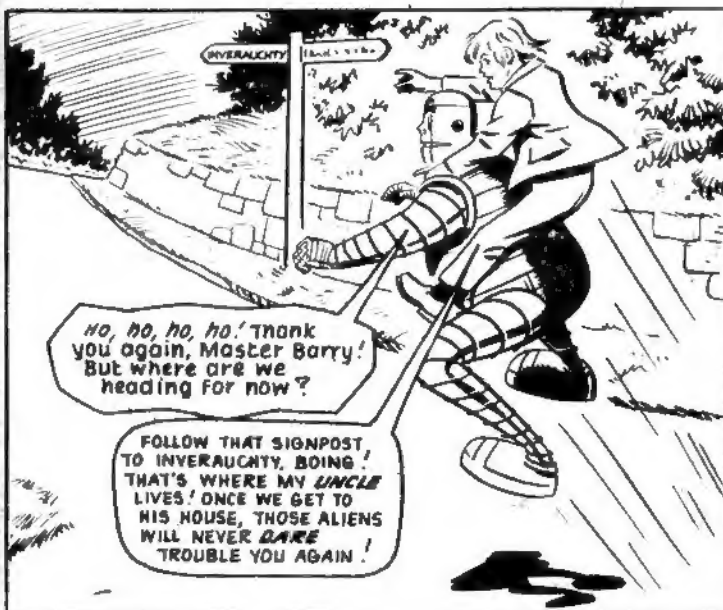
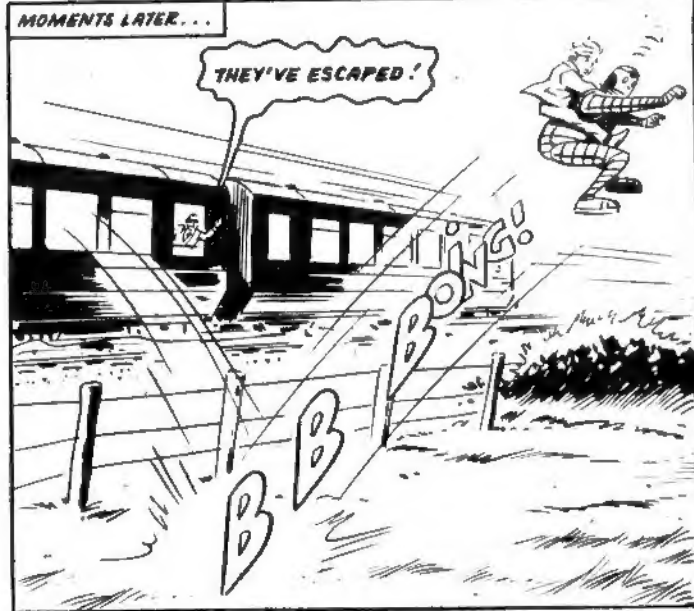


BARRY HAD SOON WORKED HIS WAY THROUGH THE TRAIN TO THE GOODS COMPARTMENT...



COMPRESS YOUR SPRINGS, OLD PAL! REDUCE TO YOUR TINIEST SIZE AND THEN I'LL SWATCH YOU OFF THE MAGNET!



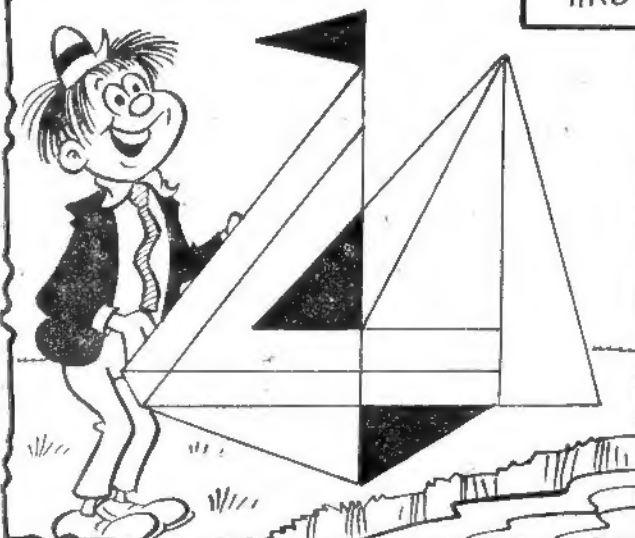


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FUN SPOT

TONY'S TRIANGLE TEASER!

Tony Broke has built a model sail boat, but how many triangles has he used?



Can you help Buster to name these metals by unscrambling the words in the lumps?

Metal-Work!

NIT

DOLG

RONI

VESRIL

REPPOC

MUTINLAP

ALDE

RIDDLE TIME!

1. It's a large sea creature which goes 'Quack'!
2. How do elephants like to travel?

PUZZLED? That's what Clever Dick is because Napoleon has broken one of his inventions and he isn't sure what it is. Copy the pieces on to tracing paper and by putting them together, you'll know the answer.



* Clue: Something you look through.



ANSWERS:

METALS: TIN - GOLD - IRON - SILVER - COPPER - PLATINUM - LEAD.
TRIANGLES: 14.
RIDDLES: 1. MOBY DUCK. 2. BY JUMBO.
PUZZLED: IT'S A MICROSCOPE.

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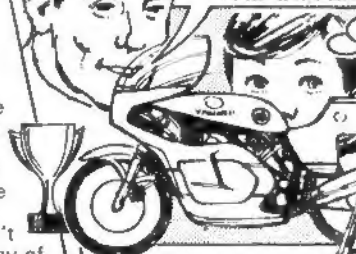
3 THE GREAT DAY ARRIVES FOR JOHNNY AND HELLER

I WONDER IF I'LL WIN THE COMPETITION



So Johnny bought another Heller kit - a motor bike this time - and built it stage by stage, following the instructions very carefully, because he knew that, to enter it in the competition, his model had to be really good. Johnny couldn't wait for the day of the competition and, when the judge announced that Johnny had won, he couldn't believe it.

IT WAS THE ATTENTION TO DETAIL THAT MADE THE DIFFERENCE



THAT'S THANKS TO HELLER

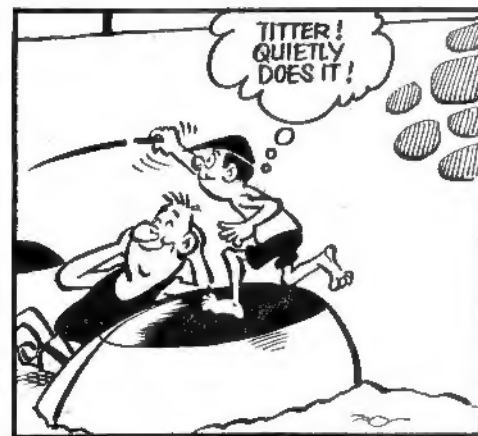
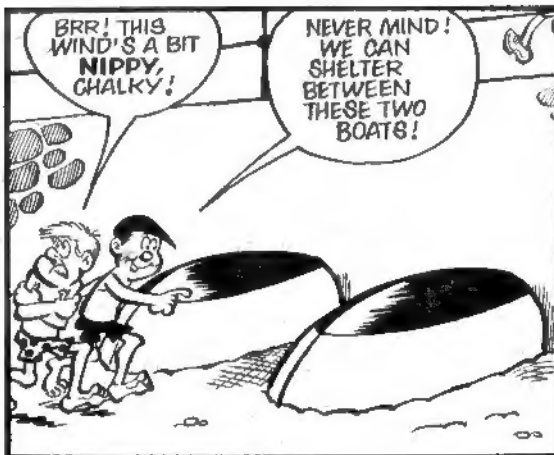
Johnny's prize was a cup and a voucher to spend at his local model shop. 'I'll go and buy another Heller kit tomorrow', he told the judge.

HI KIDS! I'M ROBBIE ROBOT

My computer makes sure that every Heller kit you buy is perfect in every detail, so that your model is just like the real thing.



CHALKY



CAN YOU HELP SUPERMAN[®] UNMASK THE EVIL NICK O'TEEN?

THE STORY
SO FAR...

NICK O'TEEN, THE ARCH ENEMY OF **SUPERMAN**,
HAS BEEN TEMPTING KIDS WITH CIGARETTES.
SUPERMAN HURLS HIM INTO OUTER SPACE. BUT THEN HE
SUSPECTS HE IS BACK IN METROPOLIS...CUNNINGLY DISGUISED!

IS HE THIS DARK BARREL-ORGAN MAN,
WHO APPEARS SUDDENLY FROM NOWHERE,
AND TURNS HIS HANDLE WITH DIRTY YELLOW
FINGERS?



IS HE THE GREY STRANGER WHO WALKS WHEELZILY
THROUGH THE ALLEYS AT DUSK, PUFFING
AND PANTING AND LOSING HIS BREATH?



OR IS IT THE OLD MAGICIAN TEACHING
THE KIDS TRICKS, COUGHING AS HE TALKS
AND GRINNING WITH STAINED TEETH?



SUPERMAN PAUSES
IN HIS SEARCH...



ONE THING YOU CAN'T
DISGUISE, KIDS. THE HARM
CIGARETTES DO TO YOU.
NEVER SAY YES TO A
CIGARETTE.

WATCH OUT FOR THE UNMASKING OF NICK O'TEEN ON YOUR TV SOON.

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